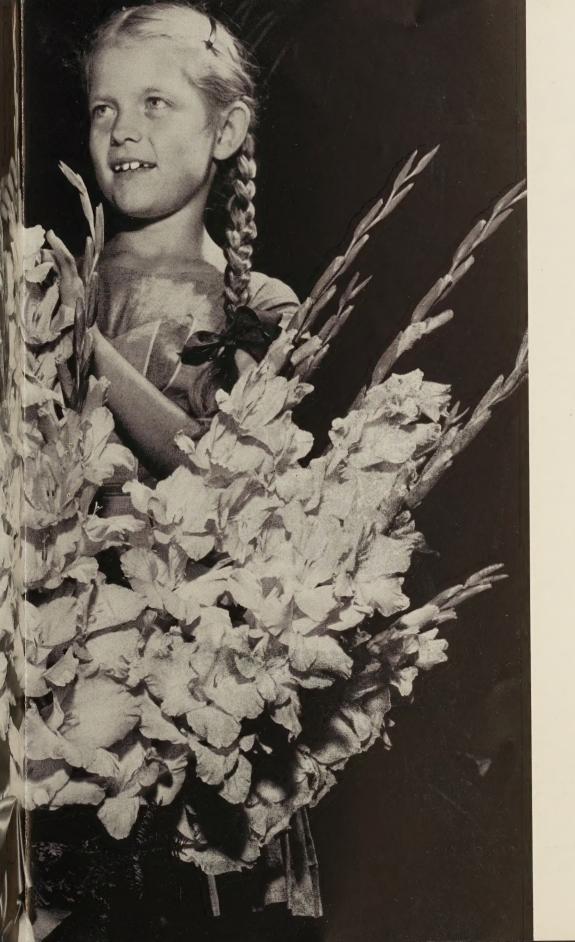
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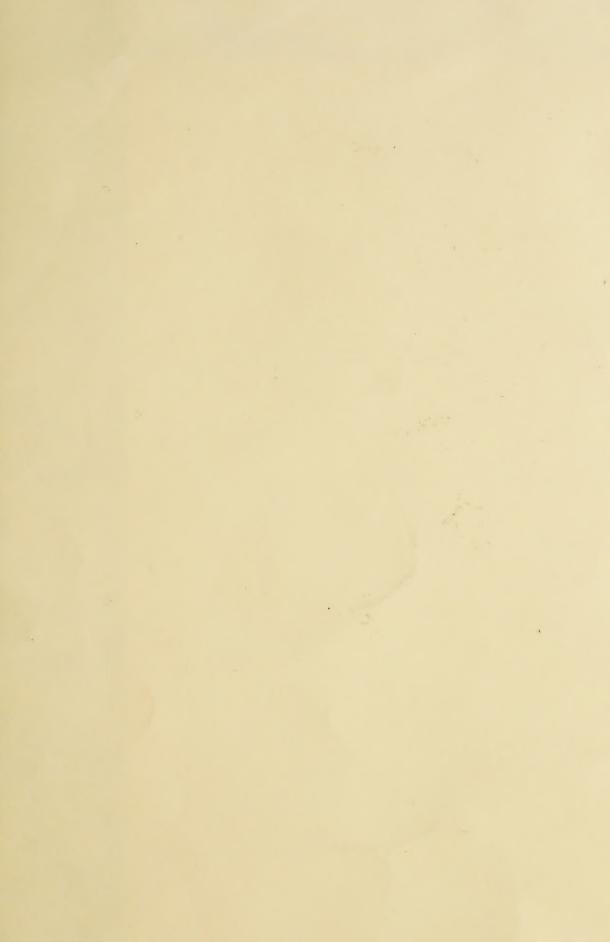
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Traveler easily opens ten gorgeous, slightly ruffled florets on a 20-bud spike. You've seen nothing so startling for color value in many years. The price is modest this year, so you might as well have this wonderful glad in your garden this summer.

| | Large | Medium | Small | Bulblets |
|--------|---|---|---|----------|
| 1 | \$2.50 | \$2.00 | \$1.50 | |
| 10 | 20.00 | 16.00 | 12.00 | |
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| or a b | UID | • | | \$ 2.50 |
| 100 | • | • | • | 24.00 |
| Pint | | • | | 150.00 |
| Quart | | • | | 250.00 |





ORCHID BLUSH

This beautiful picture will tell you several important things about this fine new introduction. First: that spikes are uniform and well balanced; second: that placement is near to perfection; third: that they hold 8 open florets on 20-22 bud spikes with 8 in color. The name is descriptive of its color, a pure, clean orchid lavender, just a trifle lighter than Tyrone. Attachment and substance are both excellent as is bulblet production and germination. Orchid Blush is a really choice new exhibition and commercial introduction. Already has several championships to its credit.

Any size bulb \$2.00 One bulb and 10 Bulblets \$5.00

TYRONE

One of the most popular and highest rated recent introductions is Tyrone. Cut flower and exhibition growers both agree that it is one of the finest lavenders we have. Healthy, vigorous, tall and easy growing. Clear, medium lavender with small white throat. 6-8 open florets on 22 bud spikes. Here is a fine pair of lavenders, the popular florists color, both of which will help to round out your plantings for shows and cut flowers.

L. \$1.00, M. 75c, Sm. \$50c Bts. 2/25c, 10/\$1.00,



MOTHER ANNE

Here is an extra fine rose lavender with great commercial promise. The spikes are tall, 56" and wiry. It carries 7-8 open on 20 bud spike, 6 in color. Color value almost identical to Heirloom but its vigorous growing habits easily give desired height for commercial cutting. Beautifully ruffled florets of rose lavender with clean cream throat.

FORTUNE 1954 (422)

A rich, attractive, golden orange with no markings. An Orange Gold seedling with purer color and long flower heads. Opens 6 of 19 buds, 6 in color. This has been a popular seedling at our Wisconsin shows the past few seasons. Best 3-spike seeding at Jefferson Seedling 1953 show.

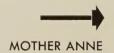
CELESTIAL ROSE (Class 462)

If you want beautiful coloring and a spike with perfect formal placement, here it is. Color, light rose shading to clean white throat. 8 5" florets open, 6 in color, 21 buds. Florets are round and perfectly placed on sturdy spike. I had gorgeous spikes of this seedling in my garden this year right during extreme heat and drought. Will prove to be an excellent commercial as it has all requirements, health, vigor, substance, color and tall, perfectly straight spikes.

Above 3 Melk 1954 introductions, each:

Large \$2.50, Medium \$2.00, Bulblets 10/2.50

For other Melk introductions: Skippy, Honey, Golden Crown, Pink Classic, Red Radiance, Margery, see regular alphabetical listings.







AMBER GLORY

Here's a wonderful glad which has been truly a "sleeper." The trouble with Mr. Flad is that he has just too many fine things in his large seedling planting to be able to feature them all. Here is richness of color beyond compare, a beautiful, deep amber yellow with strawberry throat mark. The spikes are exceptionally tall with many buds. Opens only about 5, but they're beauties. The spikes are very tall with many buds. Commercial growers should try this one as its slow opening florets last and last.

THE PRINCE 1954 (see center spread)

Reminiscent of the favored old-time Vagabond Prince. A great new addition to the few glads of brown coloring. The prince is most striking, highly ruffled, easy growing. The spikes are tall, straight. Florets, beautifully ruffled, recurved, of heavy substance. Easily opens ten of 22 buds. Was introduced with too small a stock. I have only a few bulbs which will go to first orders received. If you're a lucky one you won't be disappointed in this fine glad.

GAY 1954

A commercial lavender with rose spears on lower lip. A "Spic and Span" type of spike. Florets medium sized, slightly ruffled, nice, self-lavender with slight rose cast. Spikes straight as a broom stick with many open florets in very formal placement. One spike just like another, just like the proverbial "peas in a pod." I know you will approve this glad whether growing for exhibition or for cut flowers.

ABOVE TWO — Each — L. \$3.00, M. \$2.00, Sm. \$2.00, Bts. sold only with bulbs 10/2.50

EDGEWOOD

Edgewood was really a sensation at the shows this year. It is one of the most vigorous and healthy glads, although the bulbs are a little "tough" looking. One the back cover you will see a photo of spikes in the field. Spikes up to 60", 22 buds with many open. Large, ruffled florets. Stock is nearly sold for this year, but I have enough to fill retail orders. It will win easily in its class at the shows, as the accompanying picture will indicate. This spike was transported from Madison to Milwaukee during extreme heat and photographed the next day, all florets in excellent condition. Send your order early.

L. 1.00, M. 75c, Sm. 50, Bts. 10/1.00, \$8 per 100

QUEEN MARY

Another most substantial commercial and excellent exhibition variety. Robust spikes with 8-10, 6" florets open on tall spikes. Color, rich salmon pink. Baskets of this at our Jefferson show were simply gargeous. Another variety which every cut flower grower should stock, or at least try. You'll find that I'm not bluffing you.

L. 75c, M. 50c, Sm. 25c, Bts. 10/75c, 100/6.00. \$3.00 any size. Bts. 35 each



EDGEWOOD

Mr. Savelief has 25 years of hybridizing experience, covering not only glads, but irises, columbines and various other annual flowers, lilacs and shrubs. It is only natural, therefore, that his gladiolus originations rank among the very finest developed. This year's introductions are:

LEPRECHAUN (490)

Here's something entirely new in glads, a most attractive blend of yellow, white and green, with the yellow dominant. Good, tall spikes with 20 buds, 8-10 large florets open with 5 more in color. Good placement. An outstanding novelty which will attract much attention in your garden, at the shows and will prove popular as a commercial.

VIGILANTE (436)

A most attractive glad in a most beautiful color—deep coral with white stamens. Opens a long ribbon of blooms, 12 to 14 on a 30" flower head. Total 24 buds. Strong, vigorous plants sustain the tall, dominating spikes. Capable of easily winning "most open."

Both varieties, any size \$3.00 each, 1 bulb and 10 bts., \$5.00

Other Savelief introductions, My Country, Golden Dawn, Dee Dee, Celeste, see regular alphabetical listings.

GLADIOLUS SEEDS

Here's a real opportunity to purchase seeds from outstanding crosses. I have prevailed upon Mr. Savelief to let me list his seeds. Some of these crosses are from his very best seedlings selected because of their ability to produce outstanding results. These seeds were all grown for his own 1954 planting, so they will put you far ahead in the field for new things:

273-My Country X Elizabeth the Queen

274-My Country X Dee Dee

415-Eliz. the Queen X My Country

76-One Alone X Evening Star

74-One Alone X My Country

75-One Alone X White Christmas

79—Nevea (Both(X My Country

16-109-Golden Dawn X Gold

84-Eliz. the Queen X Cleste

84-Eliz. the Queen X Celeste

206-Wedgewood (Fischer) X Dee Dee

From Other Hybridizers:
Bold Face X Auriole
Edgewood X King David
Attraction X Fortune

(Fischer) X Dee Dee 40—Celes

48—(Dieppe X Boldface) X other reds,

46—Leprechaum X other green-yellows, Our choice

52-292—Vigilant X other Reds and Scarlets, our choice

10-185—Golden Dawn selected seedlings X other yellows

116-242—Dee Dee X others (our choice)

279-Spic and Span X Dee Dee

8-56—Strathnavor X My Country

380-White Christmas X Dee Dee

40-Celeste X Tivoli and others, our choice

Auriole X Red Radiance Crusader X Fortune Col. Atkinson X Auriole

Prices: One pkt. of 25 seeds, 50 cents. 15 pkts. \$5.00

With every \$5.00 order I will include 2 pkts. of seeds of a cross of exceptional value but not listed because of limited quantities. You may make a partial selection from this list and allow me to select the remainder from the other 80 not listed here. I know you will be pleased.

ALSO IRISES

Seeds from 50 modern varieties and seedlings. You can have mixed or named crosses — Our selection — State colors preferred —

EXOTIC

Exotic was one of the top attention getters in our garden this year. If you like pastels you will surely be pleased with Exotic. Produces a 22" flower head with 20 buds, 8 open, 6 in color. Florets are a beautiful, delicate buff-toned salmon, blending to pure, soft, blush white throat, often 6" wide. Rated excellent in several trial gardens. A favorite with us.

L. \$1.50, M. \$1.00, Sm. 50c, Bts. 10/1.50

WILD FIRE

A valuable, early blooming, brilliant flame red. 6-7 ruffled florets open, 6 in color. Ave. 18 buds on 50" spike. Good substance. Grows vigorously from bulblets. Very fine in every respect.

L. 75c, M. 50c, Sm. 25c, Bts. 10/75c

ROYAL TREAT

Another ruffled red, slightly darker than Wild Fire, but taller spikes with more buds and more open. Florets heavily ruffled and wide open. Holds 6-8 open, 8 in color. Substance and attachment extra good. Fine placement. Heavy show winner. Promises well for a good commercial.

L. 75c, M. 50c, Sm. 25c, Bts. 10/75c



WILDFIRE





From LAWRENCE ALLEN

Mr. Allen has given us some truly wonderful glads carefully selected for beautiful and unusual coloring and commercial values. Among his best are Crystal Beauty, called the white Spic and Span because of its similarity in spike formation and performance; Kashmir, Creole Belle, Dinah, Great Day, etc. His introduction for this year is a real beauty, a choice, medium sized commercial named

LORETTA (class 343)

Loretta is a gorgeous rich, clean pink with pure white throat—no markings of any kind. Medium in height but excellent for cutting. 7-8, 4½" waxy florets open on 17 bud spike, 6 in color. Foliage light colored early in season but regains deep rich green as season progresses. Many bulblets which germinate and grow like weeds.

L. \$3.00, M. \$2.00, Sm. \$1.00, Bts 5/1.00

ALLEN'S 1953 INTRODUCTIONS

GREAT DAY

A clear rose with very deep throat, ruffled $5\frac{1}{4}$ inch florets, 23 to 24 buds with 8 open, 7 in color on a 24 inch to 28 inch flowerhead. Grows tall and produces lots of bulblets that germinate very well.

JITTERBUG

A brilliant heavy ruffled needle pointed scarlet with deeper throat on single lip petal. Very heavy texture. 20 buds, 7 to 8 open, 6 showing color. Plenty bulblets that germinate well and make beautiful bulbs. A very rich color for commercial use.

CREOLE BELLE

A heavy ruffled needle pointed deep rose of very rich, lush solid color. 20 buds, 9 open, 7 showing color on a 24 inch to 26 inch flowerhead. $5\frac{1}{4}$ inch to $5\frac{1}{2}$ inch florets. 54 inches tall.

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CRYSTAL BEAUTY



FRONTIER (530)

I've always felt very confident in believing that I know a good glad when I see one. Here's one which I rated as tops of the many, many on trial in my gardens this year. The outstanding feature of Frontier is that its florets last and last while in bloom in the field. This was so noticeable that I called it to the attention of many visitors. Also, one of the very tallest in my field. Really outstanding. Florets 5½", light salmon pink blending to pale cream throat with faint rose feather on lower lip. 20 buds on 26" flower head, 7 ruffled florets open, 6 in color. Already has a heavy show record.

PINK HARMONY (540)

This glad was very similar to Frontier except that the spike was somewhat shorter and florets larger and more needlepointed. Color slightly deeper and more pink. These two introductions are of the high caliber of Mr. Tyndall's former introductions.

Prices of above two:

Large \$3.00, M. \$2, Sm. \$1, Bts. sold only with bulb at 35c each, 3/1.00

For other Tyndall introductions: Wonder Boy, Roselyn, Royal Velvet, Modern Miss, Red Tower, Yellow Flare, see regular alphabetical listings.

- LAVENDER BLUE -

Here's a real break, something really new and outstanding for color. A scintillating light blue sport of Elizabeth the Queen, shading to light cream throat. Seven beautiful, wide-open ruffled florets, 7 in color on a 22" bud spike. Performs well under heat and trying conditions. Winner of many awards, including grand champ and most beautiful spike.

L. \$2.00, M. \$1.50, Sm. \$1.00, Bts. 10/2.00



PINK HARMONY



PRIDE and **JOY**

Here was a real show winner this past season, blues wherever shown: 9 entries, 9 firsts, 5 section, 4 division and 1 best 3-spike of show, including Central International Show at Chicago. A beautiful, highly ruffled red, excellent color, perfectly straight spikes, good substance. A real commercial. One of a very few recommended for trial by the Floridal Gulf Trial Gardens.

L. \$1.00, M. 75c, Sm. 50c, Bts. 15/1.00

CROWNING GLORY

Corona X Corona 1954 (class 401)

This cross was made by Mr. Bayliss in his search for an improved Corona and he met with great success. Crowning Glory was Grand Champion at our Wisconsin State Fair the first time shown. Trial garden reports registered 67" plants. Flower head somewhat short for height but coloring is excellent. White with yellow throat and dependable rose edging. Heighly rated by all who have seen it at the shows. A most promising commercial.

Any size \$3.00 each, two for \$5.00 Bts. 25c each, 6 for \$1.00





RED RADIANCE

I think that I am more enthusiastic about this fine glad than the originators and I am confident that time will prove it to be our top commercial red. My advice to all cut flower growers is to stock Red Radiance now as eventually you will admire it as your very best red for cutting. I didn't have a very good photo of it for my catalogue last year, but the one shown here will convince you that it is a very fine glad. It has wonderful growing habits, many bulblets which germinate well and produce excellent bulbs. The brilliant red florets are 5", with 8 open in good placement on tall, 20 bud spikes. A few on the Milwaukee market, together with Margery, brought premium prices last summer and were all contracted for by our top retail florist. That's the best recommendation I can give you for Red Radiance. This glad was introduced at prices too low for its value.

| | L. \$1.50, A | N. \$1.00, | 5m. 75c Bts. | |
|--------|--------------|------------|--------------|-------|
| 10 | 12.00 | 8.00 | 6.00 | 1.50 |
| 100 | 96.00 | 64.00 | 48.00 | 12.00 |
| 1/2 Pt | • | | | 70.00 |

Write for prices on larger quantities.

- CRINOLINE BELLE – 1954 -

An exquisite butterfly Wedgewood seedling. Long flower head, pale lavender, highly ruffled florets with a quarter inch light band around each floret. Opens 8 beautiful blooms. Larger and taller, prettier than Wedgewood.

Large \$2.50, M. \$2.00, Sm. \$1.50, Bts. 10/2.50 Special unit, 2 M., 1 Sm., 10 select Bts. at \$7.00

Other 1954 introductions:

APOLLO: Distinctive tall white with deep rose pink throat markings. Large winged butterfly florets. 17-18 buds. An eye-catching blotched cut flower.

CHAMPAGNE: Beautiful, ruffled, clear light yellow with deeper blended throat. Its pretty florets are artistically recurved. 7-8 open on tall spike. 17-18 buds.

INDIAN MAID: A unique and striking new deep rose Burma seedling with distinctive deeper blotch edged lace white that is overlaid by a white dart. 18 buds, 8-10 open. Bright and appealing.

LAVENDER MIST: Lovely new ruffled lavender pink derived from Eliz. the Queen. A pleasing soft color that will fit into any arrangement.

SILVER TIPS: A sensational, beautiful scarlet with deeper throat feather attractively edged white and a silver white spear. Very large winged butterfly styled florets open widely on a tall spike of 18 buds.

TAFFETA: A new 3-toned rose pink blended creamy throat. Lower lip petals of slightly darker pure rose. An entrancing new color.

Above 6 var. each \$1.00 any size 10 selected Bts. \$1.00

BRANDYWINE: Deep, velvet winered with smooth, glossy florets. 60" tall, 7-8 large florets open. Very popular and attractive.

SWEET TALK, a beautiful pastel pink Greta Garbo seedling. Good texture and placement. Fine commercial spikes. HI JINKS: A very tall growing smoky of deep autumn tones with white throat. A high-rating, very popular novelty. Stock small and in heavy demand.

FURBELOW: A wonderful commercial pink which I would advise all cut flower growers to try. 7-9 huge, ruffled, waxy florets on tall, sturdy, straight spikes.

BRANDWINE — FURBELOW SWEET TALK, L. \$1.50

M. \$1, Sm. 75c, Bts, 10/1.00, 100/7.50

HI JINKS: L. \$1.50, M. \$1.25,

I have grown all of these varieties and found them all outstanding, and worthy of trial. They have been selected especially because of cut flower values but will also go far as exhibition varieties. Mrs. Fortman in her Popular Garden symposium gives many of these glads high recommendations.

From WALTER KRUEGER

ROSY EYES

Mr. Krueger was featuring this attractive seedling at our Wisconsin shows this year and it was highly appraised. To me it looks like a most promising commercial. The 5" creamy white florets have two catchy rose colored eyes in the throat which gain your attention immediately. 8 open on always straight spikes. Bulblet production good, germination fair.

L. \$3.00, Med. \$2.00, Sm. \$1.00, Bts. 10/3.00

From TED WOODS

WAX CANARY

From Ted Woods, originator of Connie G. Ann Sherman and many other fine varieties. A basket of Wax Canary at the Central International Show in Chicago was outstanding and convinced me that it is Mr. Woods' best introduction. Will attain 60" height in the field and up to 30" flower heads. Florets 51/4"; 20-22 buds with 7 open. Color pale salmon deepening at outer edges with soft yellow throat. Florets fluted and needlepointed. Good texture with a wax-like finish. For other Woods' introductions Ann Sherman, Rosita, Connie G, see alphabetical listings.

L. \$3.00, Med. \$2.00, Sm. \$1.00, Bts. 75c ea.

JULIA MAE Pommert 1953

One of the outstanding 1953 introductions was Julia Mae. A soft, pastel rose pink with 8-9, 4½" to 5" florets open on tall, wiry spikes, ranging up to 66" in height. Mid-season, good keeping qualities. Winner of many ribbons including American Home Achievement. Rated as Pommert's best origination.

L. \$1.00, M. 75c, Sm. 50c, Bts. 4/25c, 100/5.00





Glads with **Rosettes**

ILLUSTRATED:
(left to right)

THE PRINCE
TRAVELER
CORAL ACE
PINK BOUQUET
KING DAVID



PINK BOUQUET

I have received some high compliments on Pink Bouquet from those who tried it last year, and some not so good. However, I am confident that with time and larger distribution and acclimation it will prove its commercial value. Many of my customers are cut flower growers who seek good health in bulb and foliage, strong growing habits and a high percentage of cutting spikes, rather than the ultimate in beauty and weakness on these points. I know that Pink Bouquet will fill the requirements of a good commercial. Extra tall spikes, up to 60" or more, 25-30 buds, 10-12 open. A light pink with pale yellow throat. Placement informal. Opens very well from bud.

L. \$1.75, M. \$1.50, Sm. \$1, Bts. 10/1.75, 100/\$10.00













Here's one of the most sensational glads ever introduced. Not only is it sensational but it is easy to grow for exhibition or for cut flowers. You will note from this year's show reports that it is fast building a record approaching that of Spic and Span. King David is a Royal Purple with magenta throat and beautiful picotee edging. The large, ruffled, fluted florets are most attractive. King David is one of the very best glads for opening from buds, and the open florets last and last. Bulbs grow fast, produce many bulblets which germinate perfectly. Prices are very low this year, so why delay placing your order. Might as well enjoy this fine glad now and win your share of ribbons with it at the shows.

Large 50c, Medium 35c, Small 25c

Ten at eight times single rate. Hundred at eight times ten rate.

Bts. 10/25c, 100/\$2.00

Bulblets per thousand, \$15.00 Bulblets per quart, \$50.00



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| 10 bulblet of a b | | only with | • | |
| 100 | | | ••••• | 24.00 |
| Pint | | | | 150.00 |
| Quart | | | | 250.00 |

HOWARD WRIGHT — A most popular medium yellow with slightly deeper throat. Heavy show winner. Florets plain, but wide open, 5-6 open, 5 in color. Spikes medium in height. Vigorous grower, with bulblets producing No. 1 bulbs for me.

L. \$2.00, M. \$1.50, Sm. \$1.00, Bts. 10 @ \$1.00

JINI MARIE — Ruffled, rose salmon. Florets $41/2^{\prime\prime}$, slightly ruffled and of good substance. Tall growing, opens 8. Good cutting spikes.

L. 15c, M. 10c, Sm. 2/15c, Bts. 10/25c

JOYFUL — A beautiful, ruffled salmon pink. Remarkable substance. 55" tall, 20 buds, many open.

Easy growing. Has all the commercial requisites.

L. 25c, Bts. 15 @ 25c

KASHMIR — Deep, rich, wine-purple florets, round, ruffled with picotee edging. Spikes formal and nice. 16-18 buds. Flowerhead 20-25". Florets $5^1\!\!/_2$ " with 6-7 open. Carries very high rating.

L. 30c, M. 20c, Sm. 10c, Bts 10/25c

KING SIZE — The much talked about glad. Immense spikes of clear, medium salmon with carmine lines in cream throat. Winner of many awards. Will hold 10, 7" florets open. Exhibition growers will find real pleasure in growing this glad.

L. \$3.00, M. \$2.00, Sm. \$1.00, Bts. 25c each

LANCELOT — A fine cutting commercial yellow. Clear, light yellow shading a trifle darker in throat. Opens 8 of 20 buds. Slightly waved and fluted.

LEAH GORHAM - Medium ruffled red with large cream throat. Very striking and nice. Placement good. 5-7 florets open on long flowerhead. Heavy propagator and excellent cutter.

L. 30c, M. 20c, Sm. 15, Bts. 10/25c, 100/2.00

LODESTAR — A nice medium yellow with deeper lip petals. Straight growing. 6-7 open on medium height spikes. Rated highly as a commercial.

L. 25, M. 20c, Sm. 15, Bts. 10/25c

LYNN HILL — Rose red, deepening in throat. Florets are ruffled and silver edged. 7 open, 9 showing color. Medium height. Quite unusual for color and styling.

L. 50c, M. 25c, Sm. 15c, Bts. 20/1.00

MELLOW MOON — Mellow Moon has excellent commercial value. Spikes are tall and wiry. A vigorous arower with healthy bulbs and foliage. Florets around grower with healthy bulbs and foliage.

5 inches, somewhat a feliage. 5 inches, somewhat ruffled. Deep, rich yellow with some buff shading.

L. 25c, M. 20c, Sm. 15c, Bts. 10/35c, 100/1.00

MODERN MISS — Lavender purple with darker throatmark. 25" flower head on 52" spike. 21 buds, 9 open, 9 in color. Florets 41/2-5". Good placement, very nice. An extra fine commercial.

L. \$1.00, M. 60c, Sm. 40c, Bts. 10/50c, 100/4.00

MOTHER FISCHER — Rapidly coming to the fore as one of the very best whites. Florets pure white, heavily ruffled. Strong, healthy grower.

L. 40c, M. 30c, Sm. 20, Bts. 10/1.60, 100/8.00

CRYSTAL ORCHID



PINK CLASSIC



MY COUNTRY - A choice, giant, pure white with no markings. Produces mammoth spikes with 30" flower heads, 8, 6-inch florets open on 24 bud spike. A late variety and good late varieties are always money-makers

L. \$2, M. \$2, Sm. \$1, Bts. 20c ea., 10 @ \$1.50

NEWPORT WHITE — One of my favorite whites. Pure chalk white. Huge florets of good substance. Strong growing. Absolutely one of the top-notch whites. Don't know of anything better in this class.

L. 2/25, M. 3/25, Sm. 5/25, Bts. 100/1.00

NEW YORKER - This 1950 introduction of Dr. Graff's performed remarkably well for me and others this past summer. It's a delicate light pink with prominent midrib. Will open 6-8 large slightly ruffled florets on tall, sturdy stems. Placement and substance good. Looks like a very promising commercial as well as exhibition glad.

L. 60c, M. 40c, Sm. 30c, Bts. 10/50c

NOWETA ROSE — Designed for the show table. Deep rose, good substance, many open in formal, compact arrangement. I have some choice, well-grown bulbs. A good show record for this one and it will win for

you, too. L. 40c, M. 30c, Sm. 20c, Bts 10/15c, 100/1.00

ORCHID MIST — Light rose lavender, slightly deeper toward edges, with distinct lavender blotch. Medium height, 22" flower head. Ruffled 4½" florets.
L. 50c, M. 25c, Sm. 15c, Bts. 10/40c, 100/3.00

ORCHID SKIES — .. One of the tallest glads we grow. Large, deep lavender orchid florets of heavy substance. Opens about 6 on perfectly straight spikes. I look for this fine variety to prove an outstanding commercial as well as exhibition variety. Moderathly arised. ately priced.

L. 50c, M. 35c, Sm. 25c, Bts. 10 @ 80c

ORIENTAL PEARL - One of the largest glads grown. A very light cream which opens around five florets often measuring 7 inches across. Many of my customers reported that it has been their best money making variety. Always in demand by florists. is especially true of those who deliver direct to the florist trade. A little too large and brittle for the commercial markets. Nothing so delightful for the home garden. Often wins for largest floret.

L. 2/25, M. 3/25, Sm. 5/25, Bts. 100/1.00

PACTOLUS - Deep ruffled buff with prominent scarlet throat marking. Good strong grower. Well liked at all shows and fine for florists work. You'll buy it sooner or later, so why not now?

L. 2/25, M. 3/25, Sm. 5/25, Bts. 100/1.00

PALETTE - An odd color combination which is ing and very catchy. Deep scarlet with heavy blue blotch. Promises to be extra fine for arrangement work and should be well-liked by florists who appreciate novelties.

L. 25c, M. 20c, Sm. 15c, Bts. 10/25c, 100/2.00

PEACH GLOW — A very large, peachy-orange with excellent growing habits. Round florets of good texture. Opens 8 of 20 buds. Straight and tall. Not many glads of this color.

L. 50c, M. 25c, Sm. 15c, Bts. 10/50c

PEG OF MY HEART - A white sport of Myrna. The PEG OF MY HEART — A white sport of Myrna. The florets are round, 7-8 open on tall, stretchy spikes. There's a very light rose pencilling in the throat. Fine substance and long keeping florets. A choice commercial type of glad which I feel will become very popular with commercial growers. Also very capable of winning at the shows.

L. \$1.00, M. 75c, Bts. 10 @ \$1.00

PENNANT — This fine glad has a strong background, Greta Barbo, X Elizabeth the Queen, two of the finest Greta Barbo, X Elizabeth the Queen, two of the tinest glads for hybridizing. Pure, soft pink florets on a very formal spike. Florets 5", wide open, slightly ruffled with 10 open, producing gorgeous spikes. Not quite as tall as Evangeline but of better color value and placement. Spikes always uniform and fine for commercial cutting. Another Gold Medal winner in Canadian test gardens. You can't go wrong with this one. dian test gardens. You can't go wrong with this one.
L. \$1.00, M. 75c, Sm. 50c, Bts. 10/25c, 100/5.00

PHANTOM BEAUTY — One of the best light pinks. Opens ten or more on tall spikes. Precise placement. Grows easily. Propagates well. A good all-around variety.

L. 2/25, M. 3/25, Sm. 5/25, Bts. 100/1.00

POLYNESIA — Pure salmon with yellow throat. 8-10 very large florets open on tall sturdy stems. Vigorower. Many awards. L. 20c M. 15c, Sm. 10c, Bis. 100/1.00 ous grower.

PINK CHIFFON - An early flowering orchild pink. Pure self-color. Not a large flower head but any lack in this is compensated 'or in extra high color value. This is a color which retail florists will really adore for their work, just as they do with the modern pink carnations. Bulblet production and germination excellent. germination excellent.

L. \$1.50, M. \$1.25, Sm. 75c, Bts. 2/15c, 10 @ 75c

PINK CLASSIC — Pink Classic is a very large, tall growing ruffled and fluted pink of great merit. Holds 6-7, $51/2^{\prime\prime}$ or larger florets on a tall, straight stem. The color is deep salmon pink, shading into a lighter, brighter throat. I believe this will prove to be an excellent florist's flower.
L. 35c, M. 25c, Sm. 15, Bts. 10/35c, 100/2.80

POINSETTIA - Light spectrum red with nicely ruffled florets. Spikes straight. 6-7 open 7 in color. most promising for commercial and a heavy show winner. Bulblet production good. Rated very high. L. 50c, M. 35c, Sm. 20c, Bts. 10/40c, 100/3.00

PRAIRIE SUNSET—Huge, tall growing, healthy, brightly colored orange salmon. Long flower heads with 8 six inch ruffled florets open. One of the best in its color

class. Good propagator. L. 20c, M. 15c, Sm. 10c, Bts. 100/2.50

– This choice new lavender proved to be very popular the first year on the market. Winner of about every conceivable award. A clear medium rose-lavender with lighter throat with a few light rose lines. Height 55" and easy growing. 8-10 florets open on perfectly straight spikes. An excellent exhibition and commercial.

L. \$2, M. \$1.50, Sm. \$1, Bts. Ea. 25c, Ten for \$2

PROSPECTOR — Here was a favorite yellow wherever PROSPECTOR — Here was a ravorne yearlow with deeper grown this past season. Medium yellow with deeper buff tones in throat. Not too tall, but nice cutting spikes with 8-10 open in perfect placement. Ruffled, fluted and recurved. Winner of American Home and many other top awards.

\$3.00 any size. Bts. 35c each

QUEEN MARY - Another most substantial commercial QUEEN MAKY — Another most substantial commercial and excellent exhibition variety. Robust spikes with 8-10, 6" florets open on tall spikes. Color, rich salmon pink. Baskets of this at our Jefferson show were simply gorgeous. Another variety which every cut flower grower should stock, or at least try. You'll find that I'm not bluffing you.

L. 75c, M. 50c, Sm. 25c, Bts. 10/75c, 100/6.00

RED RADIANCE - (see page 13)

RED GLEAM — A strong growing scarlet with yellow throat. 8, $5\frac{1}{2}$ " florets open on tall straight spikes. Florets ruffled and nice.

L. 20c, M. 15c, Sm. 10c, Bts. 10 @ 25c

RED TOWER — Extra tall-growing orange red with over 60" plants. 27" flower head, 8 open, 7 in color. Florets 5", ruffled and fluted, with lighter midrib.

L. \$1.00, M. 60c, Sm. 40c, Bts. 10/50c

RED VELVET - An extra tall growing medium with lustrous, sparkling florets. Many open on long flower head. Long flower heads, perfectly straight spikes. Easy propagator and produces fine bulbs.

L. 35c, M. 25c, Bts. 10 @ 50c

RED WING — Now at the top of the rating for commercial reds. Spikes always tall, 8-10 open florets of $51/_2$ inch size. Approximately 60 inches, 22-24 bu 's. You can't go wrong on this one.

L. 10c, M. 3/25c, Sm. 5/25c, Bts. 100/50c

ROSELYN — A very deep, purple rose with darker throat. Ruffled, rich and beautiful. 8, 5" florets open 6 in color on 60" spikes. Good texture, early and choice in every respect.

L. \$1.50, M. \$1, Sm. 50c, Bts. 15c ea., 10 @ \$1

RISITO—A new and fine medium rose with deeper rose throat marks, accented by smaller dark blotch and white lines around all petals. A most vigorous grower, tall and with many 6" florets open on tall straight spikes. Winner of all possible awards. Will prove a popular commercial.

L. \$1, M. 75c, Sm. 50c, Bts. 10 @ 50c; 100 @ \$4

SPECIAL!

A collection of the world famous Cosmopolitan introductions. One of the best collections of prize winning varieties ever offered!

2 large King David
2 large Bridal Orchid
2 large Hearts Desire
4 med. Oriental Pearl
4 med. Pink Bouquet
\$3.55 value for
\$3.00 postpaid

4 CHOICE BLACK REDS

If you, like so many glad enthusiasts, like the black reds, here are four of the very finest. One large each of Hamlet, Ace of Spades, Black Cherry and Tokena, plus one jumbo King David.

\$2.20 value for \$2.00 postpaid

NEW CUSTOMER SPECIAL



As I have thousands of names on my mailing list who have never sent an order, I have planned this collection, one which you just can't afford to miss! An extra choice selection, in a wide color range, which will give you just about the best start you can make for a beautiful, colorful garden of glads. One medium bulb each of Ace of Spades, Boise Belle, Columbia, Gatineau, King David, Leah Gorham, Pennant, Sierra Snow, and 1 large each of Bridal Orchid, Wards Burma, Hearts Desire, Evangeline, Mt. Index. Phantom Beauty, Velvet Mantle, Spic and Span. Here's color, size and prize winning all wrapped up in one moderately priced collection!

\$3.70 value for \$3.00 postpaid

Mixed, Unlabeled Collection

A selection of 50 small and medium sized bulbs, 8 or 10 fine varieties, composed of varieties known for beauty, free-blooming, easy growing and prize winning habits. Just a little "green thumb" applied to these bulbs and they will produce beautiful flowers this year as well as excellent bulbs for coming years.

\$3.00 postpaid
One each of above 4 collections \$10.00





ROYAL FLUSH - A future great. Has been pronounced one of the best new reds. Grows very tall and will produce 30-inch flower heads. Color medium red and ruffled. Stock still very scarce and high priced.

L. \$1.00, M. 75c, Sm. 50c, Bts. 10/75c

ROYAL SCOTT — A fine, rose purple, a beautiful soft shade. 7-8, 5" florets open on med. tall spikes. Very formal placement. Very well liked.

L. \$1.00, M. 75c, Sm. 50c, Bts. 10 @ 60c

ROYAL VELVET - Another fine purple from Mr. Tyndall, the home of many right-rating purples. A soft, medium purple which grows 56" tall, 6 open 6 in color on 25" flower head.

L. \$1.50, M. \$1.00, Sm. 50c, Bts. 2/30c

SANS SOUCI — A beautiful, lustrous, glowing scarlet with narrow cream pencil line on lip. Opens 8 nice florets on 19 bud spike. Easy growing and produces fine bulbs. Wonderful for both exhibition and commercial. Better try this one.

L. 25c, M. 20c, Sm. 10c, Bts. 10 @ 20c, 100 @ \$1.50

SEQUIN — Another tall growing yellow from Palmer with good commercial habits. Florets medium sized, with good commercial habits. 6 open on good flower heads.

L. 25c, M. 2/25, Sm. 4/25, Bts. 100/1.00

SHALLIMAR - Those who understand the theories of inbreeding feel confident that the future health, inbreeding feel confident that the tuture health, vigor, resistance to disease in glads will be obtained through inbreeding as has been accomplished with hybrid corn, flowers, etc. Shalimar comes from White Star, an inbred gladiolus crossed with Chamouny. It resembles the latter in color, and spike, a beautiful rose pink, edged with silver. Ruffled, frilled, tall with many open florets. Those who have developed trouble with their stock of Chamouny, as many have, will profit by turning to Shallimar as a replacement. Be sure to try it.

Any size bulb, \$1.00, Bts. 10/50c, 100/4.00

SHIRLEY IRENE — Large ruffled rose, very similar to Corona, with deep blotch. Nice, round florets with good placement. Very well liked. L. 30c, M. 25c, Sm. 20c

SIERRA SNOW — If you want an extremely large, vigorous white, Sierra Snow will fill your every desire. Not only that, but it opens many of its 22-24 buds at once. Heavy ruffling, good texture. Many of our experts rate it as one of our best new whites. Florists who want giant sized glads will surely want all you can supply of this giant white. A sure winner on the show table. Now priced low enough for commercial grayways to stock. cial growers to stock.

L. 35c, M. 20c, Sm. 15c, Bts. 10/40c, 100/3.00

SILCHERLIED — Here is a choice new blotched variety. Color is clear La France pink with deep rose throat blotch. Very similar to Lipstick, but clearer and of more beautiful coloring. Tall grower and extra fine for cutting. 18-12 buds, 8 open, $4\frac{1}{2}$ -5" well formed and well attached florets. Propagation and germination very good. One of my favorite glads and I know it will prove to be an extra fine florist's flower and a good commercial for that reason.

L. 25c, M. 15c, Sm. 10c, Bts. 100/2.00

SILENTIUM - An old time pure white with strawberry throat mark. I grew this one many years ago and have come back to it, chiefly for hybridizing as I used to obtain good results from it. It's a nice glad, tall, many open, ruffled. Bud sheafs will burn in extreme heat, but you will like it never-the-less.

L. 10c, M. 2/15c, Sm. 5/25c, Bts. 100/25c

SKIPPY — A very tall, extremely ruffled white with small pink blotch. 18 buds, 6 open, 4-5 in color, size 4½". Bulblet production and germination excellent. This is really a very fine variety and one you will like whether for exhibition growing or for commercial cutting.

L. 35c, M. 25c, Sm. 15c, Bts. 10/35c, 100/2.80

SOUTHERN BELLE — A vivid pink with large, contrasty white throat. A vigorous grower. Tall spikes with 20 buds, 6-8 highly ruffled florets open. Always straight and fine for commercial cutting. Also a great exhibition variety.

L. 75c, M. 50c, Sm. 35c, Bts. 5 @ 25c, 25 @ \$1.00

SPIC AND SPAN — "The Most Famous Name in Glads." Probably the greatest glad of all times. Probably the greatest glad of all times. Cosmopolitan is its home, together with other most fa-mous introductions (see page). Most everybody knows all about this glad, but in growing glads either for the shows or for making money, this is the best

L. 3/25, M. 4/25, Sm. 5/25, Bts. 100/30

SPOTLIGHT — Everybody knows this famous yellow with scarlet blotch.

L. 10c, M. 2 @ 15c

STERLING - Deep, lavender-mauve with rose feathering in throat. Produces very formal spikes with good placement and attachment. Up to 10 florets open on always straight spike. An excellent cutting and best in its color class for shows.

L. 35c, M. 20c, Sm. 10c, Bts. 10/25c, 100/2.00

STORMY WEATHER - One of the very few smokies I grow. Really a dusty pale lavender. Very vigorous growth, tall spikes with a lot open. I like it and rate it highly.

L. 10c

SUNDANCE — One of the very best yellows. Medium, even toned yellow. Florets 5 inches with many open. Placement always good. Grows straight and nice.

L. 25c, M. 20c, Sm. 10c, Bts. 10/15c, 100/1.00

SWEET 16 — Lovely, clean pink with lighter throat. A sport of Beauty Blush and produces the same high quality spikes. A very promising commercial and one of my favorites.

L. 25c, M. 15c, Sm. 10c, Bts. 100/1.25

TAJ MAHAL - This nice new white gives great promise for commercial growing. Florets are clear, creamy white. 6-7 open and 20 bud spike of medium height. Placement a little informal.

L. 50c, M. 35c, Sm. 25c, Bts. 10/20c, 100/1.50

TEENAGER — Here's a small decorative that made a great hit its first year. The word among growers is that Teenager is one of the best small sized glads to be introduced in recent years. Tall spikes with clear medium rose florets with creamy white throat. 6-8, $4\frac{1}{2}$ " blooms open on 18 bud spike. Always straight with fine placement.

L. 50c, M. 35c, Sm. 10c, Bts. 10/20c

TERIFFIC — Tall spikes with a ribbon of color produced by 10-12 deep canary yellow florets open at once. If you need good yellows add this one to your

L. 50c, M. 35c, Sm. 25c, Bts. 10/25

THE RAJAH - A fast propagating purple, a little more on the red side than King David. Florets round and of good substance. Symposiums give King David a much higher rating, but if you want to increase your stock of purples this one will help to round out your selection

L. 20c, M. 15c, Sm. 10c, Bts. 100 @ \$1.00

THUNDERBOLDT — A heavily ruffled, deep maroon. Florets wide open, 18 buds, 7 open. Has won many awards at the shows.
L. \$1.25, M. \$1., \$m. 75c, Bts, 2 @ 25c, 10 @ \$1

TOKENA - If you want a really black-red, this is it. Beautiful, velvety florets. Anyon-colors will surely enjoy this one. Anyone who likes the dark

L. 25c, M. 20c, Sm. 15c, Bts. 10/25c

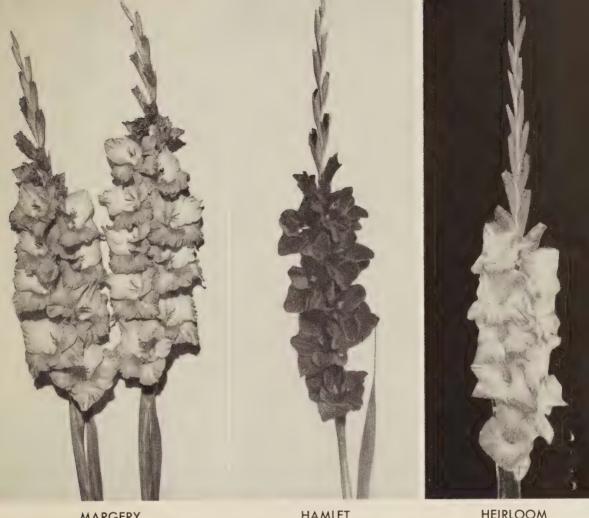
TOMAHAWK — This fine new scarlet was one of the greatest delights of my garden this year. Strong, tall plants with 24" flower head and 8-10 of its 20 buds open. The photo on page 29 is of field grown bulblet spikes. A must for every grower to round out his supply of red varieties. Has better length stem for cutting than the favored Red Wing from the same critingator. from the same originator.

L. 75c, M. 50c, Sm. 35c, Bts. 10/75c, 100/5.00

TRAILS END — Deep rose, tinged with lavender. Has attractive light yellow throat. 7-8 very large, slightly ruffled florets open on long flower heads. L. 20c, M. 15c, Sm. 10c, Bts. 10/25c

TYRONE — Tyrone proved to be one of the popular 1952 introductions. Good, tall spikes carrying 22 buds with 6-8 open. Foliage and bulbs healthy. Excellent for both commercial and exhibition.

L. \$1.00, M. 75c, Sm. 50c, Bts. 10/1.00, 100/8.00



HAMLET HEIRLOOM MARGERY

MARGERY

It's going to take several "teams of wild horses" to keep Margery from reaching the top among commercial glads. A few dozens, and a few dozens of Red Radiance by the same originators, were all corralled by Milwaukee's top retail florist this past summer, at premium prices. A most vigorous grower, gorgeous tall spikes with 8 5" florets open on 20 bud spikes and many showing color. Bright cerise rose with lighter throat. Margery is valuable because of its earliness and is at perfection when it blooms early. Sometimes shows some flecking during hot weather, but this doesn't affect its commercial value. Retailers love it with or without flecking. Grand champion at the Grants Pass show this past summer. Champion basket at our Wisconsin show. Has a long list of seedling awards.

L. \$3.00, M. \$2.00, Sm. \$1.25, Bts. 35c ea., 10/\$3.00, 100/\$24.00







SIERRA SNOW

SPIC & SPAN

POINSETTIA

POWDER PUFF A n o t h e r heavy ruffled needle pointed glad. Very light lavender or smokey old rose. Flecks some in hot dry weather, but mostly a beautiful unusual color with a small blotched throat. 20 buds, 7 to 8 open and 7 showing color. Flowerhead is 24 inches to 27 inches with the florets giving one a square floret effect.

DINAH A smokey gray with some rose in it to give it a most beautiful color. 20 to 22 buds, 8 to 10 open, 7 showing color. Straight exhibition spike. Flowerhead 28 inches and have had 30 inch heads. 56 inches to 60 inches tall. A wonderful blending color in a smoky glad.

Prices on above —

L. \$1.50, M. \$1.00, Sm. 50c, Bts. 10/\$1.00

For other Allen introductions, Crystal Beauty, and Kashmir, see regular alphabetical listings.

The First All American Gladiolus Selection

I am very proud to be one of the Board of Governors of the All-American Gladiolus Selections. During this past season members of this board conducted trials for 29 choice new seedlings, one of which will win the coveted award of the first All-American Selection. If sufficient stock of the first choice is available by the fall of 1954, the new selection will be made available to the public and will be featured in this catalogue. So be sure to watch for it, and send your orders promptly as it is anticipated that the demand for the first year will be far greater than the supply.

VALDA — Large lavender rose producing tall, straight spikes. Up to 8 large florets open. New, fine, very promising.

L. \$1.00, M. 75c, Sm. 50c, Bts. 10/1.00

VANITY FAIR — A very large pale buff with cerise spot in throat. Very tall-growing with long flower head and up to seven large, ruffled, needle point folrets open. Good texture and good growing habits. L. 35c, M. 25c, Sm. 15c, Bts. 10/20

VELVET MANTLE — Tall, spiral spikes with many open. Shining maroon florets. One of the best in this class. Medium sized and always wins for me at the shows, especially in the three spike class. Early. L. 2/25, M. 3/25, Sm. 5/25, Bts. 100/1.00

WEDDING MARCH — An early, highly ruffled light pink, shading into lighter throat. Good texture, good attachment. Looks like a coming commercial. Heavy bulblet production.

L. 75c, M. 50c, Sm. 35c, Bts. 10/50c, 100/4.00

WHITE CLOUD — A beautiful, ruffled, very chaste white. Opens 5-6 extremely large florets. Ranks among the best for beauty in white.
L. 20c, M. 10c, Sm. 3/15c, Bts. 100 @ \$1.00

WHITE GODDESS — Has received very high ranking in trials and by our best critics. Ruffled white of heavy substance. Tall and healthy and very vigorous. In great demand.

L. 2/25, M. 3/25, Sm. 5/25, Bts. 100/1.00

WHITE STAR —An inbred gladiolus. Introduced especially because of its resistance to foliage and bulb diseases. Florets, white tinged ivory. Medium in size, slightly fringed florets, recurved, pointed. 6-8 of the 20 buds open. Heavy producer of bulblets which germinate easily and produce cutting spikes.

L. 2/25c, M. 3/25c, Sm. 5/25c, Bts. 100/50c

WHITE SYMPHONY - Large, snow-white florets with heavy ruffling. Spikes tall and straight. Rated very highly by the glad experts. Good bulblet production. Promises well as a good commercial white.

L. 50c, M. 35c, Sm. 25c, Bts. 10/20c, 100/1.50 100/5.00

WINONA - This light cream did very well for me this past summer. Florets are ruffled and frilled, somewhat deeper in throat with cerise markings. Placement good. A fine glad in every respect.

L. 25c, M. 20c, Sm. 15c, Bts. 10/25, 100/1.50

WONDER BOY — A brilliant new purple, medium size florets, 27" flower heads on 55" plants. 8 of 22 buds open. Florets ruffled and fluted. Good clean foliage. L. \$1.50, M. \$1.00, Sm. 50c, Bts. 2/25c, 10/1.00

YELLOW FLARE — This was one of the nicest yellows in my garden this past summer, especially for commercial cut flowers. The spikes are extremely tall and perfectly straight with about six nicely ruffled florets open. The flower head is not exceptionally long, but sufficient for commercial. Florets perfectly placed, 4 inches, ruffled and longlasting. Cut flower growers will do well to try this one. L. 40c, M. 30c, Sm. 20c, Bts. 10 @ 20c, 100/1.50

Small Decoratives

THE FOLLOWING ARE MY FAVORITE MINIATURES ATOM - One of the very best miniatures. A beautiful vermillion with picotee edging. A great show winner and extra-fine for home arrangements. L. 20c, M. 10c, Sm. 3/15, Bts, 100 @ \$1.00

BRIGHT BEAUTY — Tall, medium, early orange. Straight with many 2½" florets open. Makes a ribbon of bloom. Very fine.
L. 2/25, M. 4/25, Sm. 6/25, Bts. 30/1.00

FIGURINE — A good ruffled apricot-brown. Makes a very substantial spike of 18 buds, 7–8 open. Placement, attachment excellent.

L. 75c, M. 50c, Sm. 35c, Bts. 10/50c

FLICKER — One of the very best of the small ones. Medium orange with yellow throat and bright scarlet blotch. 16 buds on tall spikes. 6 open, 5 in color. 31/2" blooms.

L. 3/25, M. 4/25, Sm. 5/25, Bts. 10/25

GREMLIN — A nice ruffled, red with 2" florets. Straight, several open. New and nice.

L. 50c, M. 35c, Sm. 25c, Bts. 10/50c

LINDA B. — Opens 7 3" florets on always straight spikes. A new, velvet blue color with deeper throat. Will prove very popular at the shows and for cut

L. 75c, M. 50c, Sm. 25c, Bts. 10 @ 75c

LITTLE GOLD — A choice, bright golden yellow. 4-5 open florets. Ruffled, tall and nice for cutting.
L. 3/25, M. 4/25, Sm. 6/25

MARIONETTE — Yellow with red overtones. Large, bright-red blotch. 7 open of 20 buds. Heavily ruf-fled. Very choice. One of the best. L. 50c, M. 35c, Sm. 20c, Bts. 8/25

PELETIER D Osey - Rich tones of orange, brown and chartruse, the colors found in cyprepedium orchids. Marvelous for corsages and other flower styling. One of the very best novelties. Scarce and much in de-

75c any size, Bts. 3/25

PIROUETTE — Very tall spikes with 6, 31/4" florets open. Deep salmon with some throat stippling. Was very fine for me this past season. A silver medal winner.

L. \$2.50, M. \$1.50, Sm. \$1.00, Bts. 2/40c

PRIMULINUS — A clear yellow species. Strong grower, 4-5 small, plain florets open. Straight, healthy and easy growing.

L. 2/25, M. 4/25, Sm. 6/25, Bts. 25/1.00

TWINKLES — Quite dark orange pink, lighter throat with red pencilling. Ruffled, heavy substance, straight growing. Produces some short spikes.

L. 20c, M. 10c, Sm. 2/10c, Bts. 10/20c

SPUNKY — Tall growing, dusty rose brown florets, with darker throat. Petals bordered white. 5 of 16 buds open, 3 in color. Best in its color class.

L. 40c, M. 30c, Sm. 20c, Bts. 10/25c

TAURUS — A very fine, deepndable cutter. Plain, medium purple. 4-5 open. Good keeping qualities. Spikes medium height, straight.

L. 2/25, M. 4/25, Sm. 6/25, Bts. 25/1.00

TEENAGER — Medium rose with slight blue cast. Large cream throat. 6-8 open, 5 in color, 18 buds. $3^1\!/2^{\prime\prime}$ florets. Grows tall and makes fine cutting spikes. One of the best miniatures.

L. 50c, M. 30c, Sm. 25c

THE ORCHID - One of the finest for corsage work. The light lavender florets are pointed and irregular, very similar to orchids. Usually 3 open. Supply lim-

Any size 2/25, Bts. 25/25

WHITE TOWER — Already well known in the glad kingdom as an outstanding exhibition white. Giant florets with vivid pink blotch. Opens 7-8 beautiful, large florets, 6 more in color. Heavy substance, 18-20 buds. One of the highest rated in North American Glad. Conference trials.

L. 80c, M. 60c, Sm. 25c, Bts. 10 @ 80c

KODACHROME RENTALS

Many of our varieties are included in the kodachrome slide sets available for rent from Philip Corliss, P. O. Box 68, Somerton, Arizona. Send 10c to him for list of slide programs suitable for private or club meetings.

QUANTITY PRICES

Here are a few good items in 100 lots. Some of them are available in larger quantities. If you are interested in any particular items, drop me a note. Prices are F.O.B. Milwaukee, subject to prior sale.

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| Per 100 | Large | Medium | Small | Half Pint | Quart |
| Ace of Spades | | | \$18.00 | \$15.00 | |
| Boise Belle | | | 7.00 | 10.00 | |
| Bridal Orchid | \$ 5.00 | \$ 4.00 | 3.00 | 3.00 | \$10.00 |
| Burma (selected) | 6.00 | 4.00 | 3.00 | 3.00 | 10.00 |
| C. D. Fortnam | | | 10.00 | 15.00 | |
| Columbia | | | 9.00 | 15.00 | |
| Coral Ace | ***** | | 16.00 | 25.00 | |
| Crystal Orchid | | | 10.00 | 15.00 | |
| Evangeline | | | | 2.00 | |
| Florence Nightingale | | | 2.00 | 2.00 | |
| Golden Crown | 18.00 | 12.00 | 6.00 | 12.00 | |
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| Margery | | | 80.00 | 120.00 | |
| Modern Miss | ***** | | 25.00 | 50.00 | |
| Oriental Pearl | | | 3.00 | | |
| Pactolus | | | 2.00 | | 4.00 |
| Pennant | | | 14.00 | 20.00 | 60.00 |
| Phantom Beauty | 6.00 | | | 2.00 | |
| Pink Classic | 22.00 | 16.00 | 9.00 | 15.00 | |
| Pride and Joy | 64.00 | 48.00 | 32.00 | 25.00 | |
| Red Wing | | | 3.50 | 5.00 | 15.00 |
| Skippy | 22.00 | 16.00 | 9.00 | 15.00 | |
| Silcherlied | | | 5.00 | 5.00 | |
| Spic and Span | 5.00 | 3.50 | 2.00 | 1.50 | 5.00 |
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